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C O N F I D E N T I A L USBERLIN 1009

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SUBJECT: MEETING OF BUNDESTAG INTERIOR COMMITTEE IN BERLIN

1. BUNDESTAG INTERIOR COMMITTEE IS SCHEDULED TO MEET IN BERLIN ON JUNE 4 (POSTPONED FROM MAY 21) . LAST TIME THIS COMMITTEE MET IN BERLIN, IT PROVOKED STRONG SOVIET AND EAST GERMAN REACTION, EASTERN RESPONSE BEING FACILITATED BY EXTENSIVE PRESS COVERAGE IN WEST BERLIN NEWSPAPERS.

2. PRESS HAVING INDICATED "BERLIN POLICE REFORM" IS TO BE TOPIC OF DISCUSSION, LIAISON OFFICERS SUGGESTED TO SENAT CHANCELLERY CHIEF HERZ DURING REGULAR MEETING ON MAY 23 THAT IT WOULD BE PRUDENT TO AVOID SUCH AN AGENDA ITEM AND INSTEAD USE PHRASE SUCH AS "BRIEFING BY SENATOR FOR INTERIOR ON CURRENT BERLIN MATTERS". HERZ AGREED AND SUGGESTED THAT PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICERS MAKE SIMILAR POINTS THROUGH POLICE CHANNELS.

3. COMMENT: INCLUSION OF WHAT IS CLEARLY A BERLIN SECURITY
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MATTER FOR WHICH ALLIES BEAR RESPONSIBILITY ON BUNDESTAG

COMMITTEE AGENDA WOULD AMOUNT TO WAVING RED FLAG BEFORE SOVIETS
AND WOULD BE HARD TO EXPLAIN AWAY. WE WOULD HOPE
JOINT EFFORTS IN BONN AND BERLIN CAN TURN THIS ONE OFF.GEORGE

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